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1952

Giant Darwin Tulips Collection No. 2

1. The Bishop	4. Pride of Zwanenburg	3 each of 5 ... \$2.00
2. Duke of Wellington	5. Sunkist	6 each of 5 ... 3.80
3. Scarlet Beauty		12 each of 5 ... 7.50
		25 each of 5 ... 14.50

Varieties listed on pages 4 and 5.

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Dutch Exhibition

8 TULIPS FROM

Van Bourgondien's Remarkable Tulips

1
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2
MRS. GRULLEMANS

3
BELLE JAUNE

4
CITY OF HAARLEM

INSURPASSABLE. A mammoth lilac Tulip. Flower is of great substance and carried on a tall, strong stem. This is a great improvement on the well-known Darwin Tulip, William Copeland, as the flower is at least three times larger and of a far better color. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.

MRS. GRULLEMANS. This is a perfect white Tulip; it has the correct Darwin form, straight, stiff and tall stem; flower petals are thick; it is without question one of the best white Tulips ever offered. \$1.30 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

BELLE JAUNE. Without a doubt the finest and strongest dark golden yellow Tulip, of beautiful form, producing long, egg-shaped blossoms of enormous size. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.

CITY OF HAARLEM. One of the largest and brightest red Tulips, being an intense dark scarlet with inner base slate-blue. Very striking when flower is open. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.

Giant Tulip Collection No. 1

Pictured on pages 2 and 3.

3 BULBS each of these 8 varieties (24 bulbs)	\$2.75
12 BULBS each of these 8 varieties (96 bulbs)	10.50
25 BULBS each of these 8 varieties (200 bulbs)	20.50

Tulips . . .

HILLEGOM, HOLLAND

Reasonable Prices for Exhibition Varieties

5

ARISTOCRAT. Soft violet-rose with a well defined white edge on the flower petals. The flower is large, goblet-shaped and has excellent substance. Stem is rigid and stiff, about 31 inches tall. This variety has an aristocratic appearance and is extra good for garden planting. \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

5
ARISTOCRAT

6

SUNSET GLOW. Large flowers of luminous salmon-orange edged orange-yellow; inside rosy orange changing to golden bronze toward the edges. Wonderful for borders and cutting. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.

6
SUNSET
GLOW

7

AMERICAN FLAG. Dark red with broad white lines and blue base. So named because the three colors resemble the American Flag. A real novelty. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.

8

QUEEN OF THE NORTH. We have always noted a demand for the lovely bicolor Tulips. In Queen of the North we present one of the most impressive and delicate of all bicolors. \$1.30 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

8

QUEEN OF
THE NORTH

7
AMERICAN
FLAG

Large Flowering Darwin

BEST BY TEST—Holland Grown



Doz. 100
AFTERGLOW. Soft apricot-orange.
Tinted pink \$1.50 \$11.50

BLUE EAGLE. Intense deep purple
which shines when the sun strikes it . 1.30 10.00

CAROLINE TESTOUT. (Award of
Merit.) Soft pink with a large white
base; does not fade throughout the
unusually long life of the flower 1.50 11.50

CHAS. NEEDHAM. One of the best
scarlet-red Tulips 1.60 12.00

CLARA BUTT. Salmon-pink. Very
popular 1.20 9.00

DILLENBURG (1). A new variety
much on the order of the Cottage
Tulip Dido, but of a brighter and
deeper tone best described as a glori-
ous salmon-orange 1.30 10.00

DUKE OF WELLINGTON. A delight-
ful pure white flower of great beauty
and substance, white anthers and pure
white base, is carried on a stiff stem.
Height 25 inches 1.60 12.00

ECLIPSE. A glowing, dark blood-red
flower with a lustrous surface and vio-
let, white-margined center 1.50 11.50

EUNICE (2). Large, clear, bright rose-
pink with blue-white base on tall ro-
bust stems 1.60 12.00

FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Brilliant
scarlet 1.20 9.00

GIANT. Purplish violet flower of enor-
mous size 1.60 12.00

GLACIER. Large pure white with white
stamen 1.70 13.00

GOLDEN AGE (4). Bright golden yel-
low faintly overlaid with orange,
strong grower, beautifully shaped .. 1.50 11.50

GOLDEN HARVEST. A splendid
lemon-yellow Tulip of great substance.
Has great carrying power and creates
a fine showy effect in the garden 1.25 9.50

HELEN EAKIN. Purest white, almost
“brilliant” white if brilliance can be
associated with whiteness. Black sta-
men. The cups are the size of Farn-
combe Sanders 1.50 11.50

KATHLEEN PARLOW. Large, beauti-
fully shaped flower of silvery rose,
with a white center, is carried on a
strong, tall stem. Its fine coloring
draws immediate attention 1.60 12.00

KING MAUVE. Purple-mauve, white
edge 1.60 12.00

LA FRANCE. Deep rose, shading to
old rose and delicate pink at the edges;
of very large size, effective when
planted with mauve and dark lavender
varieties 1.50 11.50

LA TULIPE NOIRE. Very large flow-
er of unique bluish black 1.25 9.50

MARGAUX (8). Deep wine-red,
with broad light edge. Tremendous
flower, oval-shaped
with blue base, and carried on
a strong and stiff stem. One of
the largest 1.30 10.00

MME. BUTTERFLY. Bluish vio-
let and white, very large 1.30 10.00

MOUNT EREBUS. Huge lovely
pure snow-white 1.50 11.50

Tulips from Holland

Van Bourgondien Bros. Flowering Tulips

	Doz.	100
NIPHETOS. Soft sulphur-yellow, inside primrose-yellow. Highly recommended	\$1.30	\$10.00
PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. A glorious salmon-rose Tulip with a narrow edge of blush-rose at margin. Except for the paler margin it resembles a wonderful tall salmon-pink bloom	1.60	12.00
PRINCESS ELIZABETH MAXIMA. Vivid rosy pink, good forcer. 1.20	9.00	
PRINCESS MARY (6). Long, slender, egg-shaped flower of deep rose-pink, shaded deeper on inside of flower, with a paler marking down each petal. Base white with bluish halo	1.60	12.00
PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE (5). A golden yellow with a clearly defined edge of scarlet; a striking beauty. Very late blooming ..	1.20	9.00
QUEEN OF THE NIGHT (3). One of the darkest Tulips, superior to La Tuipe Noire; it is much larger. 1.30	10.00	
RED MASTER. Brilliant purplish red, base deep blue, sport of Pride of Haarlem	1.30	10.00
SCARLET BEAUTY. Beautiful fiery scarlet without any markings	1.50	11.50
SCARLET LEADER. A uniform shade of bright scarlet. A most brilliant and glowing flower carried on tall and straight stems, large size and substance	1.60	12.00
SCOTCH LASSIE (7). Deep lavender with dark blue base. Excellent long lasting variety	1.45	11.00
SUNKIST. Deepest golden butter-yellow, large blooms	1.20	9.00
THE BISHOP. A remarkably fine flower of ideal form. Color of real deep violet-blue, showing a white star in center. An unusually good show variety as it forces exceptionally well	1.60	12.00
THE PEACH. Brilliant peach color, lighter edge	1.50	11.50
TUBERGEN'S GLORY. Flowers are sparkling bright salmon-rosy-red and when fully open display a distinct blue base, greatly adding to the beauty of this variety	1.30	10.00
WHITE GIANT. Large, pure white, with black anthers	1.50	11.50
WM. PITT. Very fine scarlet with lighter shade on edge	1.20	9.00
ZWANENBURG. Pure white with black anthers	1.50	11.50

EXHIBITION COLLECTION OF TULIPS FOR SHOW PURPOSES

(Pictured on pages 4 and 5)

Special Offer No. 40

Dillenburg	Princess Margaret Rose
Eunice	Princess Mary
Queen of the Night	Scotch Lassie
Golden Age	Margaux

3 BULBS each of 8 varieties (24 bulbs) **\$2.75**

6 BULBS each of 8 varieties (48 bulbs) **5.25**

12 BULBS each of 8 varieties (96 bulbs) **10.00**



Best Dutch Imports . . . These Fine,



FANTASY. The Parrot Tulip with a straight stem. Being a sport of Clara Butt, it produces a very similar color to Clara Butt, but deeper pink inside the petals. 3 for 35¢; \$1.20 per doz.; \$9.50 per 100.



THERESE. A sport of Darwin Tulip Farncombe Sanders, it has retained the many good qualities of this so-popular variety.

The very large flower is subdued scarlet color with the inside of the petals a lighter, but brilliant rosy red. 40¢ for 3; \$1.90 per doz.; \$11.50 per 100.



BLACK PARROT. This new BLACK flowering Parrot Tulip is a sport of the famous La Tulipe Noire. Color is purple-black of a unique shape. Supply is still limited, but we will try to fill all orders. 40¢ each; \$1.10 for 3; \$4.00 per doz.

OTHER COLORFUL PARROT TULIPS

Per 3 Doz. 100

BLUE PARROT. 26 in. A glorious flower of bright violet, shading to steel-blue. As blossom opens it gradually changes to a most pleasing blue; very large flower with strong stem. Sport and color of Darwin Tulip, Bleu Aimable. Highly recommended \$0.35 \$1.20 \$ 9.50

FIREBIRD. 20 inches. A grand new addition to the Parrot class, of a penetrating red, with the center of the beautifully ruffled petals marked green on the outside45 1.60 12.00

GADELAN. Violet and mauve, with purple shadings, center white; a beautiful variety of gigantic size and excellent substance .. .60 2.00 15.00

OPAL QUEEN. A variety that defies description. Let us state briefly that it is all the name stands for. The opalescent coloring is fascinating and its queenly stature, because of a long stem, beyond compare .. .45 1.60 12.00

ORANGE FAVORITE. Glistening deep orange, shaded rose, inside deep orange-scarlet with yellow base, sweet scented flower of great size and brilliant coloring45 1.60 12.00

RED CHAMPION. 24 inches. Huge flower of bright crimson with slight shading of rosy red; flowers are carried on a strong and stiff stem. Still very scarce. Sport and color of Darwin Tulip, Bartigon45 1.60 12.00

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The Van Bourgondiens are an ancient Dutch family whose vast bulb farms at Hillegom, Holland, are world-famous. The bulbs offered here are the finest of their kind—sent to you direct . . . carefully packaged, honestly labeled. Get the most in beauty, quality, value—with genuine Van Bourgondien bulbs today!

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Exotic, Large-Flowering Parrot Tulips



**Parrot
Tulip,
Sunshine**

Lovely new
Parrot of pure
golden yellow, of true Parrot type. One of the
latest novelties. 45c for 3; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00
per 100.

**Colorful
Messages
from Holland
PARROT
TULIP
COLLECTION**

No. 12
(Pictured on
pages 6 and 7.)

Black Parrot
Sunshine
* Therese
Fantasy
3 BULBS each of
4 varieties .. \$2.25
6 BULBS each of
4 varieties .. \$4.25
12 BULBS each of
4 varieties .. \$8.25

**GIANT PEONY-TYPE
Double Darwin Tulips**

(Pictured on back cover.)

Genuine Imported Bulbs from Holland

Doz. 100

AVONDZON (Setting Sun). A lovely shade of soft orange, changing to salmon with gold at edge, inside deep orange, resembling the setting sun. A beautiful and outstanding show variety	\$1.60	\$12.00
EROS. An outstanding beautiful double Tulip of salmon-pink. One of the new colors in this class. Highly recommended ..	1.90	14.00
MOUNT TACOMA. Extra large; of the purest white with emerald-green markings on outer petals. Very strong and sturdy, with long blooming season ...	1.60	12.00
OZON. This new double Darwin variety is of a brilliant red, bordered yellow!	2.15	16.00
ROYAL YELLOW. Pure golden yellow flower, ideal for bedding purposes. Very double.	1.90	14.00
SYMPHONY. Cherry-red; a double Pride of Haarlem	1.60	12.00
UNCLE TOM. An especially extra double, producing a fine shaped flower. The color is a deep mahogany-red, very much admired in all show gardens ..	2.00	15.00
VINCENT VAN GOGH. Bright blood-red with deep yellow on each petal. Flowers 6 in. across and 4 in. deep	2.50	18.00

MULTICOLOR TULIP MIXTURE

All Holland Grown—Top Quality
Varieties—12 Bulbs Only \$1.00

MAY-FLOWERING IN ALL
BEST COLORS

Hand-Picked Mixture
Cut Flower Assortment

Tingling with life! Colors specially selected (from our best named varieties) to give a full range of Darwin types—in a wonderfully colored bed! Will furnish a wealth of cut flowers all through May. Sizes average 4 1/4 to 4 1/2 inches in circumference. Guaranteed to bloom.

50 bulbs for \$3.75
100 bulbs for \$7.30
1000 bulbs for \$69.00



The New Triumph Tulips

JUST A LITTLE EARLIER THAN DARWIN TULIPS
ON STRAIGHT, STRONG, TALL STEMS

Doz. 100

ALGIEBA.	22 inches. A cheerful shade of light lavender with rosy lavender through center of petals. A striking color and a strong grower	1.25	\$ 9.50
ELMUS.	25 inches. Dark ruby-red with broad white edge; large, round flower of great substance. This attractive variety has become a real favorite	1.50	11.50
GLADSTONE.	24 inches. Extra large flower of soft clear purple. The most outstanding color in this class of Tulips. Makes a grand showing if planted with go'den yellow flowers, such as Ursa Minor	1.25	9.50
KANSAS.	Snow-white with lemon-yellow base, and yellow stamens. One of the best white Tulips for outdoor growing	1.25	9.50
PRINCESS BEATRIX.	A spectacular variety of vivid orange-red with a yellow edge. This outstanding variety is of a vividness comparable to Grenadier	1.25	9.50
PRIDE OF BERLIN.	20 inches. Cup-shaped flowers of bright scarlet, edged golden yellow; a very showy color combination	1.25	9.50
SCARLET ADMIRAL.	Fine cup-shaped flowers of very brilliant scarlet, with vivid black base and anthers. Strong grower with a long blooming period	1.25	9.50
URSA MINOR.	Deep golden yellow; an exceptional bedding variety	1.25	9.50

TRIUMPH TULIP COLLECTION

No. 4

3 EACH of these 8 varieties (24 bulbs)	\$ 2.50
6 EACH of these 8 varieties (48 bulbs)	4.75
12 EACH of these 8 varieties (96 bulbs)	9.25

Giant Breeder Tulips

Deep Rich Tones in Orange, Purple,
Lavender and Red
May-Flowering, Tall and Graceful

Doz. 100

ADMIRAL TROMP.	Deep cup-shaped flower of bright orange with paler margin. Inside cup scarlet	1.40	\$ 10.75
BACCHUS.	A beautiful tone of purple. It is egg-shaped and the color is similar to blue Grapes	1.50	11.50
GEO. GRAPPE.	Very large. Soft mauve throughout with a clear blue base inside. Outstanding new variety	1.50	11.50
INDIAN CHIEF.	A Tulip of glorious coloring. Indian-brown flushed coppery brown. One of the handsomest of the brown Breeders. 1.50	11.50	
J. J. BOUWMAN.	Tomato-red, flushed claret, edged yellow. Very outstanding color	1.40	10.75
LOUIS XIV.	Dark bluish violet with small margin of flushed gold-brown, shaded bronze	1.40	10.75

Special Offer No. 8

GIANT BREEDER TULIPS

3 EACH of the above 6 varieties	\$ 2.10
6 EACH of the above 6 varieties	4.00
12 EACH of the above 6 varieties	7.75

LOUIS XIV
(Breeder)
\$1.40 per doz.

Botanical or Rock Garden Tulips-

All Holland Varieties



EICHLERİ



CLUSIANA



SAXATILIS



PRAESTANS, FUSILIER

CLUSIANA. Often called the "Lady Tulip." A charming, sprightly, vivid, upstanding beauty with gray-blue leaves and a blossom gaily striped in bright rose and white. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

CORNUTA STENOPETALA. 15 inches. Graciously formed flowers of scarlet and gold. The long, narrow and twisted petals give an effect which is not seen in any other Tulip. Held upright on a tall, stiff stem; it is a most interesting species, having a long blooming season. \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

DASYSTEMON. Very beautiful dwarf species, especially valuable for planting in the rock garden. \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.50 per 100.

EICHLERİ. A grand Tulip from Turkestan, producing an immense crimson-scarlet flower with glistening black center marked with gold. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

KAUFMANNIANA. One of the most beautiful of all Tulips. Large, creamy flower, brilliantly marked with carmine, yellow center. \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

MARJOLETTI. 14 inches. Soft primrose with a carmine-red border. The flower held on strong, straight stem. Blooms the second week in May. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

PRAESTANS, FUSILIER. 10 inches. Among the Praestans type it is one of the best scarlet-orange. 3 or more flowers to a stem. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

SAXATILIS. Very rare, bearing often two lilac flowers with yellow center on each stem. Should be planted in a sheltered position as the leaves appear early. Height 14 inches. \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.



BOTANICAL TULIP Collection No. 7

3 EACH of 5 varieties pictured	\$1.90
6 EACH of 5 varieties pictured	3.50
12 EACH of 5 varieties pictured	6.60

The Great Red Emperor

A glorious scarlet-red Tulip of remarkable size. The petals are 6 inches long and the flower opens in the sun like a tremendous Oriental Poppy disclosing a brilliant black center, bordered with yellow. It blooms about a week before the May-flowering Tulips. Height 15 inches. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

Van Bourgondien's BEST NOVELTY TULIPS

Best-By-Test—Giant May-Flowering Tulips—International Prize-Winners

Awarded top recognition and judged the finest of the newer type varieties by the "Connoisseurs Committee" on Tulip exhibits. Van Bourgondien brings you these exclusive novelties at a price you cannot afford to miss. BUY early. Quantities limited.



MONTGOMERY



Per 3 Doz.

MONTGOMERY. Large white with beautiful red edge \$0.75 \$3.00

Per 3 Doz.

CHAPPAQUA. Violet-rose, large flower on strong stem. Height 32 inches	\$0.50	\$1.70
CUM LAUDE. Large flower, somewhat waved, deep violet, ivory-white center. Height 29 inches .....	.50	1.70
GISELA. Bright rosy red, large graceful flower. Height 28 inches .....	.60	2.00
MAYTIME. Dark reddish violet, light edged, yellow base .....	.60	2.00
PANDION. Deep purple with a rather sharp silvery white edge. Strong stem. Height 26 inches	1.00	3.75
QUEEN OF SPAIN. Pale yellow flushed pink, yellow anthers. Pink shading increases as the flower ages. Strong stem. Height 27 inches .....	.45	1.60
ROSY WINGS. Apricot-pink. Finely shaped tall flower. Height 24 inches .....	.60	2.00
SMILING QUEEN. Pure and radiant satin-rose. One of the finest rose-colored Tulips in existence. Large flower of beautiful form. Height 30 inches .....	.60	2.00
SWEET HARMONY. Lemon-yellow, sharply edged ivory-white	1.50	5.50
UTAH. Deep scarlet. Height 32 inches.	.60	2.00

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3 NEW VARIETIES VERY OUTSTANDING IN COLOR. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED! OFTEN CALLED WATERLILY TULIPS.

GAIETY. White inside, outside striped dull red. Exceedingly dwarf, flowers seem to rest on foliage. 3 for 85c; \$2.75 per doz.

KAUFMANNIANA, SCARLET ELEGANCE. Uniform brilliant scarlet, sometimes 2 or 3 flowers on one stem, big improvement of Kaufmanniana. Brilliant. 3 for 85c; \$2.75 per doz.

PRIMROSE. Soft primrose-yellow with deeper yellow center. Very cheerful. 3 for 75c; \$3.00 per doz.

COLLECTION No. 9

3 of each (9 bulbs) \$2.30
6 of each (18 bulbs) 4.50



Lily and Modern May-Flowering Tulips

Long Stems, Graceful in Habit, Every Bloom a Masterpiece

LILY-FLOWERING TULIPS

	Doz.	100
CAPT FRYATT. Brownish red of immense size . . .	\$2.00	\$15.00
GOLDEN DUCHESS. A strong plant, producing deep golden yellow blooms, with deep yellow base and golden stamens	1.60	12.00
MARCELLINA. Glorious rosy red with pure white center, reflexing petals, a very graceful novelty ..	1.60	12.00
PICOTEE. Snow-white with a margin of rose-pointed and reflexing petals	1.30	10.00
STANISLAUS. Lovely flowers of very bright and glittering orange	1.60	12.00
WHITE CROSS. Snow-white with broad, slightly ruffled and recurving petals, which are flushed soft green in center. A large, graceful and artistic flower, carried on a strong, tall stem	1.60	12.00

SPECIAL OFFER No. 19 of These 6 Lily-Flowered Tulips

3 BULBS each of these 6 (18 bulbs)	\$2.30
6 BULBS each of these 6 (36 bulbs)	4.50
12 BULBS each of these 6 (72 bulbs)	8.75

PICOTEE
(Maiden Blush)
\$1.30 per doz.;
\$10.00 per 100



Modern Giant Flowered Cottage Tulips

	Doz.	100
BARBARA PRATT. Bright cherry-rose; inside light carmine-rose with yellowish white base. Flowers are long, with slightly reflexing petals; gorgeous Tulip	\$1.30	\$10.00

	Doz.	100
CARRARA. Pure white. Early	\$1.20	\$ 9.00
DIDO. Salmon-orange, inside orange with yellow base. One of the finest ever introduced	1.20	9.00
INGLEScombe YELLOW. Light yellow. Very late	1.20	9.00
G. W. LEAKE. Geranium-scarlet	1.50	11.50
LINCOLNSHIRE. Beautiful flaming vermillion-red. Excellent for beds. Very late	1.20	9.00
MARJORIE BOWEN. A very unusual shade—a combination of buff and salmon which passes to deep rose-pink with salmon shading. Large, well formed, and borne on a fine strong stem. 24 in.	1.30	10.00
MARSHALL HAIG. A most brilliant, outstanding bright red	1.50	11.50
SOUTHERN CROSS. 31 inches. Delightful blend of sulphur-yellow, changing to golden yellow flushed warm apricot; inside golden yellow. Fine exhibition variety of unusual attraction. Late blooming	1.60	12.00
YELLOW EMPEROR. A brilliant butter-yellow, rather long flower, considered by many one of the best yellow Tulips for garden planting in this shade	1.20	9.00

You may order 6 of one variety at dozen rate;
25 at the 100 rate.

COLLECTION No. 5 Modern Cottage Tulips

3 EACH of these 10 bulbs (30 bulbs)	\$3.25
6 EACH of these 10 bulbs (60 bulbs)	6.25

SOUTHERN
CROSS
\$1.60 per doz.;
\$12.00 per 100

REMBRANDT-Single and Double Tulips

Excellent in beds and borders - planted in groups - Always welcomed in American Gardens



KEIZERSKROON
\$1.35 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100

PINK BEAUTY
\$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100

MR. VAN DER HOEF
\$1.35 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100



Note:
The
Illustrations
Shown Are
Only Half
Natural
Size

Single Early Tulips

Excellent for Bedding and
Mass Planting

	Doz.	100
COULEUR CARDINAL. Bright crimson-scarlet with a deeper shade of red, like dew, on the outside	1.30	\$10.00
GENERAL DE WET. Sweet-scented flowers of a fiery orange with yellow center	1.30	10.00
KEIZERSKROON. Crimson-scarlet with very attractive golden yellow edge	1.35	10.50
PINK BEAUTY. Bright cherry-rose, slightly striped white	1.60	12.00
RISING SUN. Clear golden yellow of great beauty and vigor	1.20	9.00
VAN DER NEER. Dark purple flower of a most brilliant tone and splendid shape	1.35	10.50
WHITE BEAUTY. Of all white Tulips this variety is the most handsome	1.60	12.00

Queen Juliana Collection No. 10

Of six varieties of early Tulips.

DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

Peach Blossom. Pink.
Mr. van der Hoef. Yellow.
Electra. Carmine.

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS
Keizerskroon. Red and yellow.
Couleur Cardinal. Red.
General de Wet. Sweet-scented
orange-yellow.

3 EACH of 6 varieties (18 bulbs)	\$2.00
6 EACH of 6 varieties (36 bulbs)	3.80
12 EACH of 6 varieties (72 bulbs)	7.50
25 EACH of 6 varieties (150 bulbs)	14.75

Double Early Flowering Tulips

	Doz.	100
ELECTRA. Splendid deep carmine	\$1.35	\$10.50
MR. VAN DER HOEF. Golden yellow	1.35	10.50
ORANGE NASSAU. Orange-red	1.35	10.50
PEACH BLOSSOM. Rose-pink	1.35	10.50
SCHOONOORD. Pure white	1.35	10.50
VIJURBAAK. Brilliant scarlet flowers of enormous size are borne on very straight, stiff stems	1.35	10.50

REMBRANDT Tulips

Doz. 100

AMERICAN FLAG. Dark red with broad white lines and blue base. So named because the three colors resemble the American Flag. A real novelty	\$1.50	\$11.50
CORDELL HULL. A splendid new novelty which becomes more beautiful as the flower ages. It is a combination of silvery white and blood-red stripes, making a very striking effect. Highly recommended for decorative purposes	1.60	12.00
REMBRANDT MIXED. Finest mixed colors	1.30	10.00

You may order 6 at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate.

REMBRANDT

Hodges, S. C.

April 23, 1952

Dear Van Bourgondien: I want to tell you about my Tulips ordered from you 2 years ago. Being a cripple I was not able to separate them, I had to leave them in the ground all that time. They are Pride of Haarlem. They are the most beautiful Tulips I have ever seen. People have come from far and near to admire them and ask from whom I ordered them. They all say they have never seen Tulips so large, tall and such lovely color. I started with 50 bulbs and now they have multiplied to 160. They are all as large and beautiful as when first ordered. I don't believe they could be lovelier on your own farms. They have been a constant joy to me and I thank you for your lovely bulbs and courteous attention at all times. I ordered a few McArthur Daffodils for late flowering and I am delighted with them. I think it the largest flower I ever saw, and such strong stems and last such a long time. You will hear from me in time for more fall bulbs before planting time. With best wishes for your continued success.

Sincerely,

MRS. DAISY HITCH

4200 W. 54th St.

Kansas City 3, Kansas

June 28, 1951

Van Bourgondien Bros., Inc.,
Babylon, Long Island, N. Y.

Gentlemen: I was extremely pleased with all the bulbs I received from you last fall.

I have never seen such beautiful Tulips, and I think they were among the large ones in Kansas City. All of my friends and neighbors marveled at the size and gorgeous color of them, and I did too. I bought the Eclipse and Symphonia, and this double flowering Tulip measured five inches across.

All my success I attribute to your bulbs as the ground I planted them in was the worst possible soil. I remarked in the fall when I planted them that if they could even break through the ground that I would consider them good strong bulbs. Then when they turned out as they did, I certainly recommended your bulbs to everyone and would be sure that any bulbs my friends or I ordered from you would be first quality and would give excellent results.

Yours very truly,
MRS. NORMAN L. WILSON

Trinidad, Calif.

June 21, 1951

Dear Sirs: Last year I ordered Tulip bulbs from your get acquainted offer advertised in The Flower Grower Magazine. The bulbs arrived promptly and in fine condition. I was lax in planting them, however, and conditions were not at best when finally they were beneath the ground. Considering procrastination I expected little or no results. To the contrary, the blooms were spectacular and people who have been gardening for years stopped to comment on the size, height, form and sturdiness of the plants. The blossoms at full bloom measured an average of eight inches in diameter and were most durable—lasting for weeks. The credit goes to your superior bulbs for superior they must have been to survive my mistreatment and still give startling blooms.

Thank you for all the undeserved compliments I received for my lovely Tulips. I hereby turn them over to you whose fine bulbs earned them.

Sincerely yours,
GWYNETH SUSAN
(Mrs. Ernest)

Caledonia, Minn.

July 5th, 1951

Van Bourgondien Bros., Inc.,

Babylon, Long Island, N. Y.

Dear Sirs: I am placing an order for more of your very fine top grade Tulips. I was so pleased with the Tulips which I received from you last year. They were simply gorgeous.

I am taking advantage of the 10% discount. Enclosed please find check for the amount of \$3.63.

Needless to say I am looking forward to seeing the Gold Medal Prize Winners shown at The International Flower Shows—"Queen of Spain" and "Rosy Wings."

Thanking you I am

Very truly yours,
THERESA BRIMEYER

104 E. Manoa Rd.

Havertown, Pa.

Gentlemen: I had a great thrill last evening at the Delaware County Horticultural Show of which I am a member.

I won a first prize on my entry of "Red Emperor" Tuips.

Since they were your bulbs I wanted you to know of it. There were many entries of the Tulips, but my entry was superb.

I purchased these bulbs from you about four years ago—they have been in the ground ever since and seem to be prettier as the years go by.

Since so many of the members inquired as to where they were purchased, I would like to have your latest catalog and price list. I can't tell you how really magnificent all my Tulip bulbs from you people have been. Thank you.

Very truly yours,
MRS. FREDERIC M. RATH

215 E 18 St.,

Brooklyn 29, N.Y.

Dear Sirs: Last summer I purchased some Tulip, Lily and other bulbs from you, and I wish to say for those flowers that have bloomed, I could not expect anything better, they were the envy of all my neighbors.

I am sorry I did not get to enjoy my Red Emperor Tulips because the squirrels ate the flower buds off them, but the two that survived this destruction were beautiful. The same thing happened to my Parrot Tulips. I only had 2 Yellow Sunshine and 1 Therese blooms for the same reason.

Several of the Tulips had twins, that is 2 flowers from branching stalks, but they were good.

Here is a peculiar one, I believe it was Indian Chief (Breeder). One stalk came up, then it separated into 2, then from one of the stalks another one branched off and then from the same stalk came another, so that I had 4 flowers from the one bulb. The best of all were the Triumph and Lily type Tulips. Hope to be able to buy a few more this year.

Yours truly,
JOHN C. CULLUM

I have purchased bulbs from you once in a while as I could afford them. I remember ordering some about 25 years ago originally.

Spartanburg, S. C.

April 22, 1951

Dear Sirs: Last fall I ordered from your catalog the Rainbow Collection No. 3 of Tulips. I just want to tell you I have never seen such beautiful Tulips in my life. They were even prettier than the pictures.

I also ordered the dwarf Iris on page 21. Also the Crocus Special Offer "29" and every bulb bloomed and were just as pretty as the Tulips, and everyone has admired them so much and want to order this fall.

Sincerely,
MRS. BEN BALLINGER, SR.

Greene, Iowa

Nov. 4th, 1948

Dear Sirs: Received my Tulips and the Estate Lily bulbs and I'm very, very much pleased. They came in fine shape and they are the best bulbs I've ever purchased. I have over 500 Tulip bulbs in my garden and I'm looking forward, next spring, to a much better assortment with the lovely bulbs I got from you. Thanks for your promptness and good bulbs.

Sincerely,
MRS. CHARLES A. BIER

Bryn Athyn, Pa.

May 1st

Gentlemen: Will you please send me your flower bulb catalog. I wish to compliment you on your Daffodil bulbs. I bought several potted ones this year from Mr. Weiss at Holboro, who has a greenhouse and who had potted your bulbs, both Tulips and Daffodils. They were the largest and most beautiful bulbs I have ever seen.

I have a small greenhouse only 12 by 18 ft. but have had a successful winter. Your pots of bulbs were outstanding and admired above all others—hence my desire for your catalog so that I can order my own this fall.

Sincerely yours,
MRS. WILFRED HOWARD



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Jumbo bulbs, 65c each; \$6.50 per doz.; \$50.00 per 100. First size bulbs.

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These are beautiful woodland plants; Lily-like flowers bloom in April. Should be planted in wooded places under shrubs and shaded corners.

MIXTURE of illustrated four colors, equally proportioned. 90c per doz.; \$6.50 per 100.

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The Cream of the Crop in Daffodils



WILLIAM THE SILENT
3 for \$1.00; \$3.60 per doz.;
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DAWSON CITY. (*Incomparabilis*) Much overlapping and flat perianth with a very smooth trumpet, nicely flanged at the mouth. This perfect flower is golden yellow throughout. Great favorite in England. 3 for 65c; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

DICK WELLBAND. (*Incomparabilis*) Very strong grower and exceptionally free-flowering. The perianth is pure white and the cup flame-orange. One of its most remarkable qualities is that the color does not fade but rather intensifies with age. The flower lasts unusually long and we believe that this variety will be of the greatest value both for greenhouse work and for outside. Its great beauty lies in the startling contrast between petals and cup which makes it stand out in the largest collection of Daffodils. 3 for 65c; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

DORINE. (*Incomparabilis*) Creamy yellow perianth; widely expanded deep orange cup. 3 for 60c; \$1.90 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

FIRETAIL. (*Barri*) First Class Certificate, Birmingham, London, and Haarlem Shows. Large, overlapping ivory-white perianth of splendid substance with a flat eye of deep blood-red, holds its color very well. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

FORTUNE. (*Incomparabilis*) First Class Certificate, Birmingham, London and Haarlem Shows. A great *Incomparabilis* of perfect form and splendid color. Perianth clear yellow; cup coppery blood-orange throughout. Most outstanding variety of the past few years. Each 25c; 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

FRANCISCA DRAKE. (*Incomparabilis*) Pure white perianth of unusual substance, cup golden yellow at base shading to flamed orange at frilled edge. 3 for 55c; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.

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ACTAEA. (*Poeticus*) The largest *Poeticus* in existence. Broad snow-white perianth and good form; the very large eye is broadly margined with dark red. A most beautiful exhibition flower. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

AGRA. (*Incomparabilis*) Large white perianth with vivid scarlet cup. Easily one of the finest garden varieties. 3 for 85c; \$2.75 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

BEERSHEBA. (White Trumpet.) First Class Certificate, Birmingham, London, Haarlem Shows. Beautifully formed funnel-shaped trumpet, nicely flanged at the mouth, the magnificent perianth is perfectly flat. The whole flower is pure white. 50c each; 3 for \$1.40; \$5.00 per doz.; \$35.00 per 100.

CHEERFULNESS. (Double.) A double form of the famous cluster-flowered Daffodil, Elvira. 3 for 45c; \$1.35 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

CONNOISSEUR COLLECTION No. 26

Beersheba	Lord Wellington
Dick Wellband	Mrs. R. O. Backhouse
Dorine	Prince of Orange
Gertie Millar	Scarlet Leader

1 EACH of 8 varieties (8 bulbs) \$2.00

3 EACH of 8 varieties (24 bulbs) 5.75

6 EACH of 8 varieties (48 bulbs) 10.00



MRS. R. O.
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30c each; 80c per 3;
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GALOPIN. (Incomparabilis.) Broad, overlapping perianth of snow-white color, with large deep orange-red cup. Very large flower. 3 for 60c; \$1.90 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

GERANIUM. (Poetaz.) A variety well worth growing, being beautiful in every respect. The pure white perianth is round and flat, more than 2½ inches across. The cup is very brilliant orange-scarlet. The tall stems carry 3 to 5 flowers. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

GERTIE MILLAR. (Leedsi.) Wonderful flower of the new Giant Leedsi type with pure white perianth similar to and as large as Van Waveren's Giant; a beautifully proportioned pale primrose cup deeply fluted and frilled, and of translucent texture. 3 for 65c; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

GLORIOUS. (Poetaz.) First Class Certificate, Birmingham and Haarlem Shows. A variety well worth its name, being glorious in every respect. The pure white perianth is round and flat, more than 2½ inches across. The cup is very brilliant orange-scarlet. The tall stems carry 2 to 3 flowers, very early. 3 for 60c; \$1.90 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

GOLDEN HARVEST. (Yellow Trumpet.) Undoubtedly one of the largest Trumpet varieties in existence. Perianth is well formed and overlapping. Trumpet is of good shape and proportion, rolled back at the brim. Color is deep golden yellow. 3 for 70c; \$2.25 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

GOLDEN SCEPTRE. (Jonquil.) Deep golden yellow flowers of great substance, star-shaped perianth. 3 for 35c; \$1.05 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

HALVOSE. (Poetaz.) Red of the crown suffuses into perianth which is clear yellow flushed coppery red; crown bright red; numerous flowers on stem. Remarkable for its color. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.



CHEERFULNESS (White)
3 for 45c; \$1.35 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100



SELMA
LAGERLOF
40c each; 3 for \$1.00;
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IMPERATOR. (Trumpet.) One of the largest of all whites, trumpet creamy white, broad overlapping pure white perianth, very substantial flower with strong stems. 3 for 85c; \$2.75 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

INSURPASSABLE. (Trumpet.) A huge deep butter-yellow Trumpet Daffodil, early blooming. Good for show purposes. 3 for \$1.00; \$3.60 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

JOHN EVELYN. (Incomparabilis.) Fine exhibition flower. Broad, creamy white perianth; cup pale apricot-orange. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

KILLEGREW. (Incomparabilis.) Well overlapping bright yellow perianth and a large bright orange-red cup. A flower of wonderful quality and perfect exhibition form. 3 for 55c; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.

KING ALFRED. (Yellow Trumpet.) Very large and sturdy golden yellow flowers. One of the best. 3 for 65c; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

LADY DIANA MANNERS. (Barri.) A very striking flower, with broad, pure white perianth and widely expanded yellow crown, broadly margined with deep red. Long stems and strong grower. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

Garden Daffodil Collection No. 24

Firetail	King Alfred
Geranium	Lady Diana Manners
Galopin	Scarlet Elegance
Inglecombe	Thalia
1 EACH of 8 varieties (8 bulbs)	\$1.50
3 EACH of 8 varieties (24 bulbs)	4.30
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Show Garden Narcissus

Worthy of A Place in Your Garden

LORD WELLINGTON. (Trumpet.) This glorious Daffodil is the best of all yellow Trumpets ever brought on the market. The enormous flower of self rich golden yellow, with broad massive petals and immense trumpet, is carried on a tall and long stem. It is a most valuable variety for February forcing and lasts a long time cut or in pots. An exquisite novelty, which should be included in every good collection. 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

MANGOSTEEN. (Incomparabilis.) Dark yellow perianth, with orange-red crown. 25c each; 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.

MRS R. O. BACKHOUSE. (Leedsi.) The well known pink Daffodil. Perianth ivory-white; long trumpet, apricot-pink, fringed edge. Each 30c; 3 for 80c; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE. (Trumpet.) One of the finest pure white Daffodils; well formed perianth and bold, imbricated trumpet. Highly recommended for moderate forcing. 3 for 80c; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

MONIQUE. (Incomparabilis.) Giant flower, white perianth opening flat star-shaped, with petals over 1½ inches wide; broad yellow cup with blood-orange frill; strong grower, fine substance and wonderfully free flowering. 3 for 65c; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

MONTE CARLO. (Incomparabilis.) Large flower of perfect form, with broad, overlapping flat perianth and cup deep yellow. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

MT. EREBUS. (White Trumpet.) One of the most popular of the new white trumpets; pure cream-white perianth with a pale primrose trumpet; a strong grower; very tall; a fine propagator; a strong show flower. 3 for 65c; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

NEW AMSTERDAM. (Incomparabilis.) Creamy white perianth with large wide cup of soft orange-red. 3 for 60c; \$1.90 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.



YELLOW CHEERFULNESS

NEW! YELLOW CHEERFULNESS NEW!

Pure yellow. We are offering this variety for the first time in U. S. A. at a low price. Highly recommended. 2 for \$1.00; \$5.50 per doz.; \$40.00 per 100.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. (Incomparabilis.) Flat overlapping good white perianth with widely expanded cup of pure deep orange. 3 for 60c; \$1.90 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

QUEEN OF THE BICOLOR. (Large Trumpet.) The best contrasting bicolor Daffodil. Pure white perianth, deep golden yellow trumpet. 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

ROXANE. (Trumpet.) Creamy white over-all; huge flower. Show variety. 3 for 80c; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

SCARLET ELEGANCE. (Incomparabilis.) Medium size. Perianth deep yellow, cup deep orange-red. Medium early. New. 3 for 50c; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

SCARLET LEADER. (Incomparabilis.) White perianth with large, bright red cup. This is one of the best red cups produced in Europe. Red cup never fades, stays red until end. Can be forced very early. Each 30c; 3 for 80c; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

SEMPER AVANTI. (Incomparabilis.) Very large, flat and overlapping soft sulphur-white perianth; the enormous and spreading crown is deep orange throughout. Very strong flower; vigorous plant and highly recommended. 70c for 3; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.



THALIA

3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100

EXHIBITION DAFFODIL COLLECTION No. 25

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Fortune
Insuperable
Mangosteen

New Amsterdam
Roxane
William the Silent
Yellow Cheerfulness

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THALIA. (*Triandrus*) An exquisite flower with three or four pure white flowers on one stem. This variety forms a class of its own. Because of its great resemblance to an Orchid it is known as the Orchid Narcissus. Very good forcer. 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

TUNIS. (*Leedsi*) A large, tall, robust growing Leedsi of most distinct character and great lasting substance; broad, waved white perianth and large, bold, ivory crown with handsome, flanged and serrated brim, retaining a remarkable flush of pale coppery gold at the edge. 3 for 80c; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

WILLIAM THE SILENT. (*Trumpet*) Enormous rich golden yellow flower of perfect shape. Resembles Lord Wellington but much larger trumpet. 3 for \$1.00; \$3.60 per doz.; \$27.00 per 100.

Double Daffodils

CHEERFULNESS. (*Gardenia Daffodil*) A fine double white Poetaz; perianth creamy white, cup creamy yellow. 3 for 45c; \$1.35 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

INDIAN CHIEF. Sulphur and dark orange, full double, sturdy stem. 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

INGLES COMBE. Of pure yellow, resembling a yellow Rose. 3 for 55c; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.

INSULINDE. (Double.) A large, well shaped double flower composed of many creamy white petals of good size. Interspersed between these are somewhat shorter but brilliant orange-scarlet inner petals. In our opinion this is one of the best of the double Daffodils of the so-called Pompon type blooms. Free flowering and very colorful. 3 for 70c; \$2.15 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

MARY COPELAND. Outer petals white, center deep orange-red. 3 for 85c; \$2.75 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

SCARLET
ELEGANCE
3 for 50c; \$1.60 per
doz.; \$12.00 per 100



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GENERAL MIXTURE including all best types—Red Cups, Trumpets, Campernelles, etc. 12 for 80c; 100 for \$5.50; 1000 for \$50.00.

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ALL YELLOW TRUMPETS including King Alfred, Emperor, other fine varieties. Top grade bulbs, 5- to 7-inch circumference. 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.75; 1000 for \$60.00.



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All the varieties of Scilla campanulata are splendid for naturalizing because they will flower in shady places. All have bells like small Hyacinths, forming long, graceful spikes.

WHITE QUEEN. Large, pure white. 60c per doz.; \$4.50 per 100.

EXCELSIOR. Large, bright blue. 60c per doz.; \$4.50 per 100.

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Scilla sibirica naturalize splendidly, are cheap and so can be planted liberally.

SIBIRICA BLUE. 70c per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; 1000 for \$47.00.

SPRING BEAUTY. A glorified Scilla, "Sibirica Blue." The color is much clearer blue; taller stems with 5 to 6 flowers from 1 bulb. 75c per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$52.00 per 1000.

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Everybody knows the Snowdrops; with their little white bells coming through the snow; practically the first flower to show itself after the dreariness of the winter. Wonderful for naturalizing and for the rock garden.

NIVALIS. (Single.) 80c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

NIVALIS. (Double.) 80c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

Dutch Iris (Bulbous)

(For outdoor planting only.)

GOLDEN HARVEST. Pure yellow. 70c per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

IMPERATOR. Rich dark blue. Very large. 60c per doz.; \$4.50 per 100.

WEDGEWOOD. Light blue. 80c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

WHITE EXCELSIOR. New pure white. 70c per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

DUTCH IRIS MIXED. 55c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.



SNOWDROPS

Chionodoxa (Glory-of-the-Snow)

An early flowering spring bulb for borders or rockery. Produces flower spikes bearing 10 to 15 Scilla-like flowers. Perfectly hardy, should be planted close together for effect.

LUCILIAE. Bright blue, with a white center. Selected mother bulbs. 40c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$27.00 per 1000.



CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE

SCILLA
SIBIRICA



DUTCH IRIS

You may order 6 of one variety at dozen rate;

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Develop a Growth of Size and Beauty Seldom Equalled Anywhere Else in the World



MUSCARI, WHITE BEAUTY

Leucojum Vernum

(Spring Snowflake)

This pretty bulbous plant is similar to the Snowdrop but of larger, stronger and more attractive habit. In rich soil it grows to a height of 8 inches and produces in late April, beautiful large white flowers, tipped with green; excellent for cutting. 90c per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.



LEUCOJUM

25 of one variety at the 100 rate.

Muscari

(Grape Hyacinths)

BLUE BIRD. An immense improvement over all other varieties; the flowers being twice as large and growing taller, of a delightful heavenly blue. 55c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$36.00 per 1000.

HEAVENLY BLUE. While there are several kinds of Muscari we consider this variety the best for mass planting. Their flowers open just about the time that the Crocuses are fading. 50c per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$32.00 per 1000.

PLUMOSUM (Plume Hyacinth). Flowering in May. Beautiful feathery plumes of violet-blue. Height 8 inches. We strongly recommend this variety for your garden. Very unusual type of Muscari. 55c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$36.00 per 1000.

WHITE BEAUTY. In the past the white Muscari was always a very small flower and produced a very small bulb. This new introduction produces large flowers, pure white. The bulbs are considerably larger than the old type Muscari. 80c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100; \$56.00 per 1000.

Rock Garden Collection No. 6

Pictured on pages 18 and 19.

Muscari, Blue Bird	Fritillaria meleagris
Muscari plumosum	Chionodoxa
Scilla camp., Mixed	Single Snowdrops
Scilla sibirica	Leucojum vernum

6 EACH of above 8 varieties	\$2.50
12 EACH of above 8 varieties	4.75
25 EACH of above 8 varieties	8.75



MUSCARI

Fritillaria Meleagris

Singular, dwarf, spring-flowering plants, bearing large, pendent, bell-shaped flowers of various colors, in yellow, white, black, purple, striped and splashed and checkered in the most curious way. They are invaluable for pot culture and exceedingly pretty when grown in large groups in the garden border or wild garden in a dry situation.

MIXED. Select mixtures. 70c per doz.; \$5.00 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.



FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

Virginia Blue Bells

(Mertensia Virginica)

A beautiful hardy perennial that should be planted with Daffodils for contrast. Buds are pink, opening into lovely, dainty flowers of porcelain-blue, in nodding clusters. This beautiful flower starts blooming with Daffodils and lingers to frolic with the May-Flowering Tulips. Delightful in the open border or along woody paths. Each 40c; \$4.50 per doz.; \$32.00 per 100.



MERTENSIA (Virginia Blue Bells)

LILIES

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10 to 15 Blossoms an One Stem—You Can Expect All These Abundant Blooms From Our Holland Grown Regale Lilies



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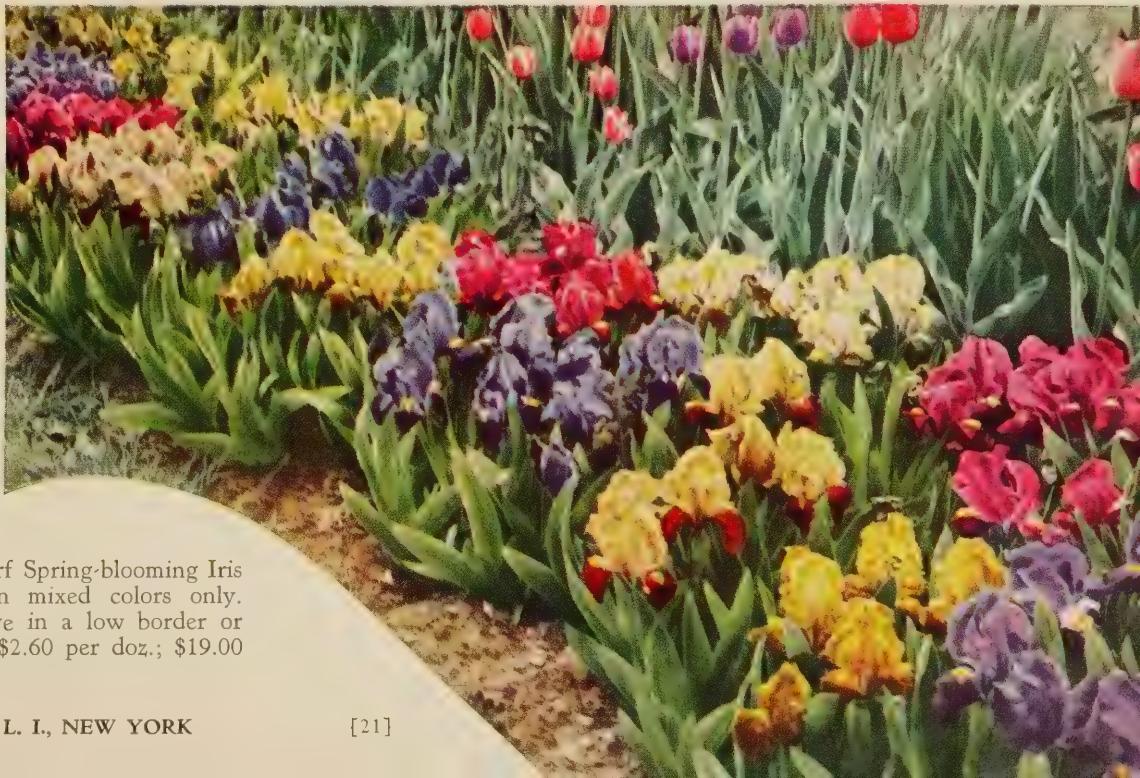
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